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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION



Applicants : Douglas G. Evans and John E. Nash
Serial No. : 09/369,107
Filed : August 5, 1999
For : TRANSMYOCARDIAL REVASCULARIZATION
SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE
Group Art Unit : 3731
Examiner : Kevin Truong

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two (2) month extension of time, up to and including September 20, 2000, for the purposes of permitting the timely filing of the enclosed Amendment and Terminal Disclaimer.

Please charge the two-month extension fee of One Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$190.00) for a small entity, or any additional fees associated with this Petition for Extension of Time, to Deposit Account No. 03-0075.

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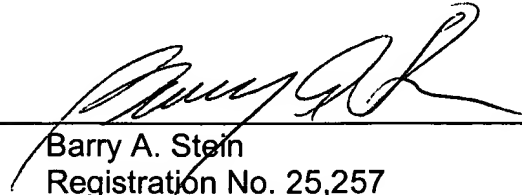
A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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